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Launching of the Ship, (Song).

Miss Ruth Orsney.

Aunt Tabitha, (Gough).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Much Ado About Nothing, (Shakespeare).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

Tam O'Shanter, (Burns).

Dr. Watson Cousin Sally Dillard, (Johns).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

PART II.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Barody on Maud Muller.

Mr. D. Barrackman.

Lady Clare, (Tennyson).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

Zara's Ear Rings, (From the Spanish).

Miss Ruth Orsney.

Vagabonds, (Miss Alice Shellabarger).

VOCAL MUSIC.

Death of Little Jim, Miss Shellabarger.

Courting in the Country.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Admission 25 cts. Doors open at 7:30.

OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

In reply to a letter addressed to the

Commissioner of Internal Revenue, by

J. Millikin & Co., the following has been received.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

Office of Internal Revenue,

Washington, April 14, 1873.

Sir: I reply to your letter of the 10th

inst., that checks drawn in their official

capacity by township school treasurers

and commissioners of highways, upon

public funds deposited in a bank, are ex-

empt from stamp tax, if said funds are

kept separate from private accounts.

Very respectfully,

C. H. ROGERS,

Deputy Commissioner.

To Messrs. J. Millikin & Co.,

Bankers, Decatur, Ill.

Massachusetts. There will be a special

meeting of Beaumont Commandery, No. 9, K. T., at their Assembly, on Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for work on K. T. Degree. By order of

A. A. MURRAY, E. C.

Fresh Lemons, Oranges, Figs, Dates,

and rich Bananas, just received at

21 1/2c.

MILLER'S.

Anniversary Excursion.

The fifty-sixth anniversary of American Odd Fellowship is to be duly celebrated at Paris by the Order in that city. They extend an invitation to all neighboring lodges to participate. In response to this invitation the lodges of this city are arranging for an excursion to Paris on that day at a fare of \$1.75 for the round trip. The time of leaving and returning will be daily advertised. They extend a cordial invitation to all our people, whether members of the Order or not, to go with the party and participate in the festivities of the day. We doubt not that many of our citizens will avail themselves of this opportunity to visit our neighboring city at so cheap a rate.

Ladies wishing to buy underwear will do well to call on Goldburg.

19-11-11

For Choice New York Peachblow

Potatoes, go to D. H. Heilmann's in

Ulrich's block.

10-11-11

Garden Seeds.

Just received, a large stock of Landreth's warranted Garden Seeds; also, a general assortment of Flower Seeds and Gardening tools.

GEO. S. DUNN & BROS.

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15 East Main street.

All Ready.

Immense stock of boots and shoes, just received by Powers, Per-

ries & Co., for spring trade—all good goods. All ready now to show the latest styles—stock all in—biggest variety we ever had.

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Makes for Sale.

Any persons wishing to buy nice three and four years old mules, will consult their interest by calling at the Livery Stable of Caldwell Brothers, on West Main street, Decatur, Jan. 20, '75. d-wit.

Good potatoes are now quite plenty, though a high price is required for them.

The work of cleaning out the alley between Merchant and Water streets was recommenced to-day.

Our justices have ample time to visit their friends at present. They do not get one police case each in a week.

Nothing new has come into the markets during the past week. The prices remain the same as indicated in our report.

W. T. Cusins, Esq., is having his law office in Powers' block refitted and refurbished so as to greatly improve its appearance.

Capt. W. J. Urrey is making extensive repairs on his dwelling on North Church street. He is also improving his grounds to some extent.

There are loud calls for the street sprinkler from various quarters. We suppose the veteran squinter will be ready to "let fly" as soon as arrangements are made to pay him.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Office of Board of Education, Decatur, April 26, 1873.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

The following bills were allowed and clerk directed to draw orders to pay the same:

Decatur, Ill., April 26, 1873.

Samuel S. Moore, \$117.75

Western Coal & Mining Co., \$71.15

Maxwell, Buchelder & Co., \$11.25

W. R. Abbott, \$4.00

S. L. Liddle, \$4.00

District No. 4 for tuition, \$16.63

Rutan Heating Co., \$7.20

A request of Mr. Rainey, to be allowed to move the west fence of the third ward back a few feet so that his hedge might have a chance to grow, was granted, on condition that he should pay all expenses and see that the fence was not injured in the removal; also, on the express condition that the fence should be returned to its present position within two years and at his expense.

On motion, adjourned.

E. W. MOORE, Pres.

R. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

If you want a genuine Alexander Kid Glove, call at S. Einstein's.

19-11-11

I. O. O. F. EXCURSION.

Decatur Lodge No. 65, and Celestial Lodge No. 126, have resolved to take part in the anniversary celebration at Paris, Monday, April 29th. All members and friends of the order are invited to go. Tickets for the round trip, \$1.75, to be procured of the committee.

The two lodges will hold a joint meeting on Friday evening, to perfect arrangements.

G. W. PATTERSON, N. G., 130

A. A. SWANWY, N. G., 93

JOHN W. HARTLEY, Sec.

Mid Gloves—the best, very cheap, at 10-11-11

Goldburg's.

NEW SPRING STYLES.

MADAME DEMOREST'S PATTERNS.

ALSO,

MADAME JOY'S CORSET.

THE JACQUELINE CORSET.

—AND—

A Job Lot of Corsets.

VERY CHEAP, at

April 17th.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

Green peas and fresh lettuce, at Im-

boden & Co's.

The Heart is a Wonderful Pump,

the valves of which open and shut seventy or eighty times per minute. If an alcoholic stimulant be taken into the blood the pump works much faster, and this unnatural speed wears out the vital machinery. All the intoxicating nostrums advertised as "tonics," "restoratives," "correctives," &c., produce this disastrous effect, and hence all intelligent Christians are thankful that Dr. Williams' VERMIFUG VINEGAR BITTERS—an invigorant and alterative without a sting—is everywhere supplanting these proprietary poisons.

Dr. Price's Flavorings are rapidly growing in the popular favor, as it is becoming known that they are produced by extraction from the fruit carefully selected, not made up with chemical poisons. Each flavor is from the true fruit and aromatics, free from poisonous oils and strong, rank taste. They are natural flavors, obtained by a new process, which give the most delicate and grateful taste. They are of great strength, and bottles contain one-half more than those purporting to give the same quantity. We conscientiously commend Dr. Price's flavors as being all that they are represented.

17-11-11

Butter is still scarce and high,

and might be poor at that.

The editor of the Warsaw Indian-ian, after preaching for years against the enormity of local papers with patent bowls and copyrighted cuttings, has himself gone into the business, and his excuse is that it is economical. He reminds us of a northern nigger-baiter who moved south. When his friends visited him a few years after they found him contentedly abiding his bed and board with a burly negro. When reproached with for not practicing what he preached, he excused himself on the score of economy.—South Bend Tribune.

THE RUSH TO KANSAS AND

COLORED.

The indications are that the rush to Kansas and Colorado will be greater than ever in 1874. The shortest way to reach the Far West is through St. Louis, the great Mississippi Valley City, of over 400,000 inhabitants, and thence west over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, which reaches all the great land grants in the West, and runs six fast express trains, two more than any other road, between the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers. This road, in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars, besides earnings, in extraordinary improvement of roadway, in relaying its line with steel rails, and in passenger equipment, having substituted for ordinary cars new rolling chair coaches, with every appliance for comfort and safety, being elegantly carpeted and fitted with dressing rooms, with toilet conveniences for ladies, gentlemen and families traveling with children, free of any extra charge. Any ticket agent selling through this route through St. Louis, over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, the best and shortest to Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, California and the Great West, is being the only line running through cars between St. Louis and Omaha. For map, circulars and time tables address either F. A. Palmer, Indianapolis, Ind.; or P. B. Grosz, St. Louis, Mo., either of whom will furnish any information desired.

Jan 2-11-11

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The First M. E. Church will give an excursion to St. Louis and return on Thursday, May 13th. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those wishing to visit "The Future Great City," with its many attractions, as all are invited to go with us.

The train, consisting of fifteen coaches, will leave the depot at 6:50, and Water street crossing at 7 A. M., sharp, stopping at Boody, Blue Mound and Stonington for the reception of passengers, arriving at St. Louis at 10:30. Returning leave St. Louis at 8 P. M., arrive at Decatur at 12 P. M.

Fare for the round trip, \$2.50.

For further particulars enquire of 16 d-wit

A. E. KINNEY.

A Card.

We wish to say to the public that we keep constantly on hand a full supply and great variety of TANNERS, BINDERS, SUPPORTERS, &c., &c. We have the James Radical-Cure Truss, Common Sense Truss, Regular Army Ivory Pad Truss, &c., &c.

CHEMURTH, WALTON & Co

Mar 8-11

For Rent—A good office—being the

front room over Armstrong's drug store. Apply to

Woods & Mortenson.

Apr 19-11-11

Corsets.

The largest stock, consisting of every style, very cheap, at 10-11-11

Goldburg's.

Is A. Drake has just been putting in a new stock of Furniture at his old matress stand, in Priest House Block. Parties can now be set up in house-furnishing goods, (all new), and at very low figures. Call in and be convinced—Spring beds and mattresses still a specialty.

24-11-11

Everybody in want of boots and shoes

will do well to take a look at the splendid stock just received at Y. Barker & Co., direct from eastern manufacturers. There is nothing in their line of trade which cannot be obtained here, and all of the very best material and latest style. As you pass step in

Apr 5-11-11

A Large Lot of White Goods,

consisting of muslin suits, lace, victorian lawns, and Paris lawns, just received at

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Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

is very strongly recommended by the Medical Faculty and is largely prescribed among their female patients. It is worthy of all confidence, as may be seen from the following testimonials.

Dr. G. B. CHAPMAN, Plainmouth, Neb., writes: I have under treatment a lady, who for the past seven years has been afflicted, and after trying several physicians without receiving benefit, is gaining rapidly on your Favorite Prescription.

Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y., writes: I have not words to express my gratitude to you for your advice and assistance in my case. There is not one who has used your medicine since they have been brought here, but that can say with me they have been greatly benefited. Since I have been so helped by its use, six or seven around me left off all doctors and other medicines, and now use it in their families, after being cured of the same disease as mine. You do not know what a wonder it created in our city, by its restoring my sister I wrote you about, who had been under the care of three of our best doctors, but could not get up but for a few minutes at one time. I begged of her to try your medicines, and before she had used half the bottle she could go all around the yard, and has now just come home from a visit five miles away.

Mrs. TROTT, McFarland.

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Prayer and Potatoes, (Pettie).
Miss Alice Shellabarger.
Launching of the Ship, (Longfellow).
Miss Ruth Crissey.

Aunt Tabitha, Mrs. Dr. Walston.
John Maynard, (Gough).
Miss Alice Shellabarger.

VOCAL MUSIC.
Much Ado About Nothing, (Shakespeare).
Miss Alice Shellabarger.
Tam O'Shanter, (Burns).
Cousin Sally Dillard, (Johns).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.
PART II.
VOCAL MUSIC.
Parody on Maud Muller.
Mr. D. Barrackman.

Lady Clare, (Tennyson).
Miss Alice Shellabarger.
Zara's Ear Rings, (From the Spanish).
Miss Ruth Crissey.

Vagabonds, Miss Alice Shellabarger.
Death of Little Jim, Miss Shellabarger.
Courtship in the Country, Miss Alice Shellabarger.

VOCAL MUSIC.
Admission 25 cts. Doors open at 7:30.

OFFICIAL CORRESPONDENCE.
In reply to a letter addressed to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, by J. Millikin & Co., the following has been received:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Office of Internal Revenue,
WASHINGTON, April 14, 1875.

SIR: I reply to your letter of the 3d inst., that checks drawn in their official capacity by township school treasurers and commissioners of highways, upon public funds deposited in a bank, are exempt from stamp tax, if said funds are kept separate from private accounts.

Very respectfully,
C. H. ROGERS,
Deputy Commissioner.

To Messrs. J. Millikin & Co.,
Bankers, Decatur, Ill.

Masonic.—There will be a special meeting of Beaumont Commandery, No. 9, K. T., at their Asylum, on Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for work on K. T. Degree. By order of A. A. MURRAY, E. C.

Fresh Lemons, Oranges, Figs, Dates, and rich Bananas, just received at 21-2d MILLER'S.

Anniversary Excursion.—The fifty-sixth anniversary of American Odd-Fellowship is to be duly celebrated at Paris by the Order in that city. They extend an invitation to all neighboring lodges to participate. In response to this invitation the lodges of this city are arranging for an excursion to Paris on that day, at a fare of \$1.75 for the round trip. The time of leaving and returning will be duly advertised. They extend a cordial invitation to all our people, whether members of the Order or not, to go with the party and participate in the festivities of the day. We doubt not that many of our citizens will avail themselves of this opportunity to visit our neighboring city at so cheap a rate.

Ladies wishing to buy underwear will do well to call on Goldberg.

For Sale.—The undersigned offers for sale the following valuable business property: A brick block, consisting of two good stores, with tenement rooms overhead; also, two frame buildings, well suited to business. The above property is situated on the corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets, near the crossing of the T. & W. R. R., and is one of the best business points in the city. J. G. SHERA, At the grocery store of Shea & Fletcher, opera block. [15-dit]

For Choice New York Peachblow Potatoes, go to D. H. Heilman's in Ulrich's block. 10-dit

Garden Seeds.—Just received, a large stock of Landreth's warranted Garden Seeds; also, a general assortment of Flower Seeds and Gardening tools. Geo. S. DUFFEN & Bn., m23-22m 16 East Main street.

All Ready.—Immense stock of boots and shoes, just received by Powers, Ferris & Co., for spring trade—all good goods. All ready now to show the latest styles—stock all in—biggest variety we ever had. dt

Mules for Sale.—Any persons wishing to buy nice three and four years old mules, will consult their interest by calling at the Livery Stable of Caldwell Brothers, on West Main street, Decatur Jan. 30, 75-dwtf.

Good potatoes are now quite plenty, though a high price is required for them.

The work of cleaning out the alley between Merchant and Water streets was recommended to-day.

Our justices have ample time to visit their friends at present. They do not get one police case each in a week.

Nothing new has come into the markets during the past week. The prices remain the same as indicated in our report.

W. T. Cussins, Esq., is having his law office in Powers' block refitted and refurbished so as to greatly improve its appearance.

Capt. W. J. Usrey is making extensive repairs on his dwelling on North Church street. He is also improving his grounds to some extent.

There are loud calls for the street sprinkler from various quarters. We suppose the veteran squatter will be ready to "let fly" as soon as arrangements are made to pay him.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, APRIL 20, 1875.

Present—Moore, Johns, and the Clerk. Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

The following bills were allowed and clerk directed to draw orders to pay the same:

Danahy water works, \$17 78
Hammer & Co., 38 50
Western Coal & Mining Co., 87 115
Maxwell, Batchelder & Co., 11 25
W. R. Abbott, 45 30
H. Mueller & Co., 4 00
R. L. Kilduff, 88 08
District No. 4 for tuition, 16 65
Ruttan Heating Co., 37 20

A request of Mr. Rainey, to be allowed to move the west fence of the third ward back a few feet so that his hedge might have chance to grow, was granted, on condition that he should pay all expenses and see that the fence was not injured in the removal; also, on the express condition that the fence should be returned to its present position within two years and at his expense.

On motion, adjourned.
E. W. MOORE, Pres.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.

If you want a genuine Alexander Kid Glove, call at S. EINSTEIN'S. 19-dit

I. O. O. F. EXCURSION.
Decatur Lodge No. 65, and Celestial Lodge No. 186, have resolved to take part in the anniversary celebration at Paris, Monday, April 26th. All members and friends of the order are invited to go. Tickets for the round trip, \$1.75, to be procured of the committee.

The two lodges will hold a joint meeting on Friday evening, to perfect arrangements.

G. W. PATTERSON, N. G., 186.
J. A. BROCKWAY, N. G., 65.
JOHN W. HARTLEY, Sec., 21-3d

Kid Gloves, the best, very cheap, at 19-dit wit Goldberg's

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MADAME DEMOREST'S PATTERNS

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Apr 17-dit LINN & SCRUGGS.

Green peas and fresh lettuce, at Imboden & Co's.

The Heart is a Wonderful Pump, the valves of which open and shut seventy or eighty times per minute. If an alcoholic stimulant be taken into the blood the pump works much faster, and this unnatural speed wears out the vital machinery. All the intoxicating nostrums advertised as "tonics," "renovators," "correctives," &c., produce this disastrous effect, and hence all intelligent Christians are thankful that Dr. WALKER'S VEGETABLE VINEGAR BITTERS—an invigorant and Alternative without a sting—is everywhere supplanting these proprietary poisons. [mar24-dwtw]

Dr. Price's Flavorings are rapidly growing in the popular favor, as it is becoming known that they are produced by extraction from the fruit carefully selected, not made up with chemical poisons. Each flavor is from the true fruit and aromatics, free from poisonous oils and strong, rank taste. They are natural flavors, obtained by a new process, which give the most delicate and grateful taste. They are of great strength, and bottles contain one-half more than those purporting to give the same quantity. We conscientiously commend Dr. Price's flavors as being all that they are represented.

Butter is still scarce and high, and mightily poor at that.

The editor of the Warsaw Indianian, after preaching for years against the economy of local papers with patent bowls and copyrighted cuticles, has himself gone into the business, and his excuse is that it is economical. He reminds us of a northern nigger-hater who moved south. When his friends visited him a few years after they found him contentedly sharing his bed and board with a burly negro. When reproached with for not practicing what he preached, he excused himself on the score of economy.—South Bend Tribune.

THE RUSH TO KANSAS AND COLORED.

The indications are that the rush to Kansas and Colorado will be greater than over in 1874. The shortest way to reach the Far West is through St. Louis, the great Mississippi Valley City, of over 450,000 inhabitants, and thence west over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, which reaches all the great land grants in the West, and runs six fast Express trains, two more than any other road, between the Mississippi and Missouri Rivers. This road, in the last two years, has expended over two million dollars, besides earnings, in extraordinary improvement of roadway, in relaying its line with quality of new steel and iron rails, on broad, new ties, and in passenger equipment, having substituted for ordinary cars new reclining chair coaches, with every appliance for comfort and safety, being elegantly carpeted and fitted with comfortable rooms, with toilet conveniences for ladies, gentlemen and families traveling with children, free of any extra charge. Any ticket agent selling through tickets to the West will furnish tickets by this excellent route through St. Louis, over the St. Louis, Kansas City and Northern Short Line, the best and shortest to Kansas, Colorado, Nebraska, California and the Great West. He will also furnish tickets by this route through St. Louis, over the Omaha, For map, circulars, and time-tables address either F. A. Palmer, Indianapolis, Ind.; or P. B. Grosz, St. Louis, Mo., either of whom will furnish any information desired. [Jan 6wt]

GRAND EXCURSION.

The First M. E. Church will give an excursion to St. Louis and return on Thursday, May 13th. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those wishing to visit "The Future Great City," with its many attractions, as all are invited to go with us.

The train, consisting of fifteen coaches, will leave the depot at 6:50, and "Water Street" crossing at 7 A. M., sharp, stopping at Boody, Blue Mound and Stonington for the reception of passengers, arriving at St. Louis at 10:30. Returning leave St. Louis at 9 P. M., arrive at Decatur at 12 P. M.

Fare for the round trip, \$3.50.
For further particulars enquire of 16-dawit A. E. KIRNEY.

A Card.—We wish to say to the public that we keep constantly on hand a full supply and great variety of Tissues, Bandages, Supporters, &c., &c. We have the Jones Radical-Cure Truss, Common Sense Truss, Regular Army Ivory Pad Truss, &c., &c.

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Mar 8-dit

For Rent.—A good office—being the front room over Armstrong's drug store. Apply to WOOD & MONTGOMERY. Apr 19-ditw

Corsets.—The largest stock, consisting of every style, very cheap, at 19-dit wit GOLDBERG'S.

Is A. Drake has just been putting in a new stock of Furniture at his old mattress stand, in Priest House Block. Parties can now be set up in house-furnishing goods, (all new), and at very low figures. Call in and be convinced.—Spring beds and mattresses still a specialty. 14-ditw

Everybody in want of Boots and shoes will do well to take a look at the splendid stock just received at V. Barber & Co., direct from eastern manufacturers. There is nothing in their line of trade which cannot be obtained here, and all of the very best material and latest style. As you pass step in 19-ditw

A Large Lot of White Goods, consisting of muslin suits, jackets, victorine lawns, and Paris lawns, just received at S. EINSTEIN'S. 19-ditw

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is very strongly recommended by the Medical Faculty and is largely prescribed among their female patients. It is worthy of all confidence, as may be seen from the following testimonials:

Dr. G. B. CHAPMAN, Plattsmouth, Neb., writes: I have under treatment a lady, who, for the past seven years has been afflicted, and, after trying several physicians without receiving benefit, is now rapidly on your Favorite Prescription.

ATLANTA, ILL.
Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y., writes: I have no words to express my gratitude to you for your advice and assistance in my case. There is not one who has used your medicines since they have been brought here, but that can say with me that they have been greatly benefited. Since I have been helped by your medicines, and before she had used half the bottles she could go all around the yard, and has now just come home from a visit five miles away.

Mrs. T. McFARLAND.
Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is sold by all dealers in medicines generally.

RETAIL MARKET.
Tomatoes, per dozen, 10
Apples, per bushel, 15
New Orleans, per bunch, 15
Spinach, per bunch, 5
Raspberries, per bunch, 5
Blackberries, per bunch, 5
Chickens, per dozen, 2.50
Lettuce, per bunch, 50
Parsnips, per peck, 50
New Orleans, per bunch, 1.00
Wild Ducks, apiece, 1.00
Apples, per bushel, 1.00
Pears, per bushel, 1.00
New Cabbage, per head, 1.00
Hickory Nuts, 1.00
Walnuts, 1.00
Vinegar, per gallon, 40
Butter, per pound, 35
Butter packed, per pound, 35

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.
DECATUR, April 21, 1875.

WHEAT—per bushel, 80
White, 85
Flour—white wheat, per hundred, 3.50
Superfine, 3.25
Good, 3.00
SALT—per bushel, 25
CORN MEAL—per bushel, 25
SALT—per bushel, 25
HAY—Timothy, per ton, 12.00
BUCKWHEAT—per bushel, 1.00
STAX SEED—per bushel, 1.00
TIMOTHY SEED—per bushel, 1.00
CLOVER SEED—per bushel, 1.00
SUET—per cask, 2.50
ORCHARD GRASS, 1.50
REDTOP, 1.50
SHRUBS—per bushel, 2.00
BUTTER—per cask, 2.00
EGGS—per cask, 2.00
LARDON—per cask, 1.00
HAMS—uncured, 8.00
CURED, 6.00
HOGS—live, per hundred, 3.50
CATTLE—per head, 3.50
POTATOES—per bushel, 1.00
PEACHES—dried, per bushel, 1.00
APPLES—Green, 1.50
Wool—unwashed, light and medium, 25.00
combing, 25.00
Fleeced, 25.00
Tubwashed, choice, 45.00
Interior, 40.00
HIDES—Green, 8.00
Salted cured, 7.00
Calf, 12.00
Dry salt, 12.00
SHEEP—Pelts, 4.00
[Out of stock, secured or otherwise, at low prices, branded, 10 per cent off.]
FEATHERS—Time, 5.00
TALLOW—Coke, 5.00
Barrel, 5.00

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For terms apply to, or address me personally, at No. 26 Merchant street. Office at E. T. Locke's Music Store, No. 33 Merchant street, Decatur, Ill. April 16-dm

To Those of Lands in the West

THE IOWA RAILROAD LAND CO. offers a choice farm of over 15,000 acres, at \$5 to \$6 per acre, on usual railroad time, in the middle region of Western Iowa. The farm is well improved, and the soil is similar to that of Central Illinois; well adapted for corn, wheat, or grass. Lands traversed by railroad from Chicago with no change of cars.

START RIGHT! Excursion Tickets will be sold from Decatur to Albia and return, for \$16.75, and fare received in payment for land.

For Tickets, or maps and pamphlets giving full information, address JOHN E. CALLEMAN, Land Commissioner, 92 Randolph St., Chicago, Ill. April 16-dm

Lizzie P. James, M. D., HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN, having permanently located in Decatur, is especially solicited to patronage. Office: 17 East Main street, over Linn & Scruggs' book store. March 2, 1875—Jly

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Has been Newly Painted and Newly Furnished, and is now open for Boarders by day or week. Those wishing rooms should apply early.

B. VAN HOUTEN, Proprietor. Late of Columbus, Ohio. [ap-dit]

\$500.00—WANTED—A partner to take a half interest in a business that will net five thousand dollars in less than six months. I will secure you to your satisfaction. The business is a No. 1. Address or call on

Priest's Hotel, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 20, 1874—dit

\$55.820 per day, at home. Terms will be sold very low. For information inquire, at Dr. Sibley's office, or GILBERT FERRY, Sept. 11-dawit.

FOR SALE!
A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, on the corner of West Main and Pine streets, will be sold very low. For information inquire, at Dr. Sibley's office, or GILBERT FERRY, Sept. 11-dawit.

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forenoon, at five o'clock, upon the premises

hereinafter described, at public vendue, the follow-

ing described premises, to-wit: The southeast

quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of the

section 36, in township 15 N., range 10 E.,

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